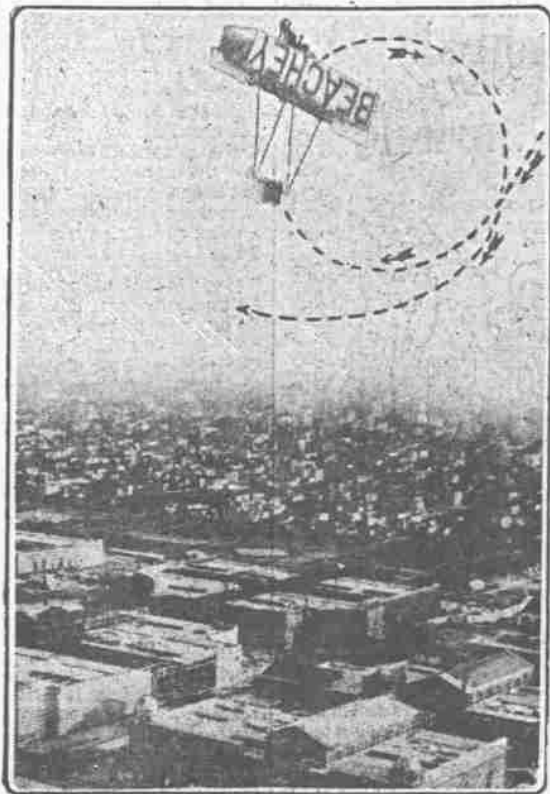# BEACHEY LOOPING THE LOOP

An actual photograph from the air of Lincoln Beachey doing his death-defying flip-flop. The picture was made from another aeroplane around which Beachey did his famous loop-the-loop stunt. It was taken the day that the famous aviator broke the world's looping record by turning 7 complete somersaults in the air above the World's Fair grounds at San Francisco.

Below can be seen the partially completed buildings of the fair and in the distance is the house-hung hillside of San Francisco. The stunt was witnessed by 25,000 people. The dotted line indicates how the feat is done. At the beginning of the loop, Beachey makes a slight downward dip and then turns the machine up and up until he has described a complete circle.

When the machine is at the top of the arc it is upside down and Beachey